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RE: U.S. Patent Application Serial No. 09/635,967  
Filed: August 10, 2000  
Title: Method and Apparatus for Document Processing  
Art Unit: 3653  
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Dear Examiner Shapiro:

As we discussed on the telephone today, we are attaching a copy of the Applicants' Fourth Information Disclosure Statement, which was previously submitted on August 15, 2002. After you review of this IDS, please return to us the Examiner-initialed form PTO-1449. We are not attaching copies of the cited U.S. patent references because you indicated that would have access to these references.

Additionally, as we discussed, please return to us the Examiner-initialed forms PTO-1449 for the Applicants' Fifth IDS (submitted on 02/06/2003) and Sixth IDS (submitted Feb. 13, 2003).

Please contact us if you have any questions.

Very truly yours,



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Serial No. 09/635,967

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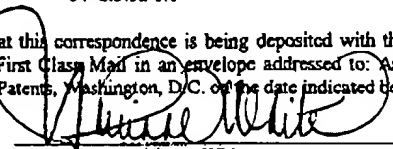
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Title: METHOD AND APPARATUS FOR  
DOCUMENT PROCESSING**FOURTH INFORMATION DISCLOSURE STATEMENT  
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In compliance with the duty of disclosure under 37 C.F.R. §1.56, it is respectfully requested that this Information Disclosure Statement be entered and the references listed on attached Form PTO-1449 be considered by the Examiner and made of record.

In accordance with 37 C.F.R. § 1.98(d), copies of the listed references are enclosed.

In accordance with 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.97(g),(h), this Information Disclosure Statement is not to be construed as a representation that a search has been made, and is not to be construed to be an admission that the information disclosed is, or is considered to be, prior art with respect to the present application or material to patentability as defined in 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.56.

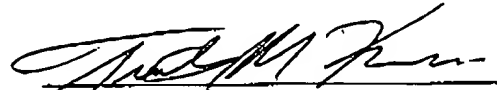
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